

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS

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1. A robot remote manipulation system including a bipedal walking robot and a remote manipulation device for remotely manipulating the bipedal walking robot, the robot being connected to
10 the remote manipulation device via a communication network and controlled by controlling data from the remote manipulation device,

the remote manipulation device comprising:
a pair of bilateral mechanical rotating
15 elements each providing a quantity of motion for one of bilateral legs of the bipedal walking robot; and
a controlling data transmitter for transmitting controlling data corresponding to the quantities of motion to the bipedal walking robot;
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the bipedal walking robot comprising:
a controlling data receiver for receiving
the controlling data transmitted from the remote manipulation device; and
25 a leg motion controller for processing the received controlling data and causing the bilateral legs to move forward or backward according to the controlling data.

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2. The robot remote manipulation system
as claimed in Claim 1,

the bipedal walking robot further

5 comprising:

a sensor for sending environmental
information;

10 a force sense data transmitter for
calculating forces applied to the bilateral legs
based on the environmental information from the
sensor and transmitting the calculated result to the
remote manipulation device as force sense data; and

the remote manipulation device further
comprising:

15 a resistance adjuster for controlling
motors for rotating each of the bilateral mechanical
rotating elements, respectively, based on the force
sense data transmitted from the bipedal walking
robot, and adjusting resistance of the rotating
20 motion of the bilateral mechanical rotating elements.

25 3. The robot remote manipulation system
as claimed in Claim 1, wherein

the sensor comprises an inclination sensor
for sensing inclination information of the bipedal
walking robot.

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4. A remote manipulation device for
remotely manipulating a bipedal walking robot
connected to the remote manipulation device via a
5 communication network, comprising:

a pair of bilateral mechanical rotating
elements each providing a quantity of motion for one
of bilateral legs of the bipedal walking robot; and

10 transmitting controlling data corresponding to the
quantities of motion to the bipedal walking robot.

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5. The robot remote manipulation device
as claimed in Claim 4, wherein

the controlling data transmitter controls
the bilateral mechanical rotating elements to adjust
20 lengths of steps of the bipedal walking robot based
on the quantities of motion.

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6. The robot remote manipulation device
as claimed in Claim 4, wherein

the controlling data transmitter controls
the bilateral mechanical rotating elements to turn
30 the bipedal walking robot based on a difference
between the respective quantities of motion.

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7. The robot remote manipulation device as claimed in Claim 4, further comprising:

a resistance adjuster for receiving force
5 sense data via a communication network from the bipedal walking robot, the force sense data being obtained based on information sensed by an inclination sensor provided in the bipedal walking robot and indicating force applied to the bilateral 10 legs of the bipedal walking robot, and for controlling motors for rotating each of the bilateral mechanical rotating elements, respectively, based on the force sense data transmitted from the bipedal walking robot, and adjusting resistance of 15 the rotating motion of the bilateral mechanical rotating elements.

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8. The robot remote manipulation device as claimed in Claim 4, wherein

the bilateral mechanical rotating elements comprise treadmills having rotary belts or rollers.

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9. The robot remote manipulation device 30 as claimed in Claim 4, further comprising:

a display for displaying an image transmitted from an imaging device of the bipedal walking robot.

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10. A remote manipulating method in a robot remote manipulation system including a bipedal walking robot and a remote manipulation device for

5 remotely manipulating the bipedal walking robot, the robot being connected to the remote manipulation device via a communication network and controlled by controlling data from the remote manipulation device, the method comprising the steps of:

10 operating a pair of bilateral mechanical rotating elements in the remote manipulation device, and providing a quantity of motion for each bilateral leg of the bipedal walking robot; and transmitting controlling data

15 corresponding to the quantities of motion to the bipedal walking robot;

in the bipedal walking robot, receiving the controlling data transmitted from the remote manipulation device; and

20 processing the received controlling data and causing the bilateral legs to move forward or backward according to the controlling data.